



Great Teamwork Leads to Joint Commission Recertification for Comprehensive Stroke Center

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Jefferson remains a leader in high-quality stroke care, with a recently earned recertification granted by The Joint Commission.

The Joint Commission's recertification process is designed to help organizations continuously provide safe, high-quality care, treatment and services by identifying opportunities for improvement in processes and helping facilities follow through on and implement these improvements. The certificate and cycle are customarily valid for up to 24 months.

"[The process for] Comprehensive Stroke Certification is known to be one of the most arduous among those for JC Advanced Disease Certification and success can only be achieved through intense team work," said Maureen DePrince, RN, BA, CCRN, SCRN, Director, Neuroscience Network, Jefferson Hospital for Neuroscience.

"This is an elite status, with fewer than 150 hospitals in the country earning this specialty designation," added Maureen. "Thanks to the Stroke Working Group, the incredible physicians and nurses, and all who participated in helping us achieve recertification for the Comprehensive Stroke Center. Special thanks to Robin D'Ambrosio for leading the team through the process!"

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